Docket No.: 49959-013

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

n re Application of

Ariel BEN-PORATH, et al.

Serial No.: 09/111,454

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Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated August 26, 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-3, 6-8, 18-20, 23-25, 35-38, 40-48 and 61-63.

Appeal Fee: **\$**\$320.00

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